

HBID ARREST NUMBER: 14-0542 **DEFENDANT(S) NAME DOB** lones, Ronald 10/02/52

6801 Hollywood Blvd. #169 Hollywood, Ca. 90028 (323) 465-

ARREST CODE DATE TIME
41.27© LAMC 1645
Drinking in Public 05/30/14 Hours
OFFICER: Anderson, D. #127

OFFICER: Nam, K. #121

SOURCE OF ACTIVITY:

On Friday, May 30, 2014, my partner (Officer Nam #121) and I (Officer Anderson #127) were working as contracted, uniformed security officers for the Hollywood Business Improvement District (H.B.I.D.) / Andrews International 6801 Hollywood Boulevard Hollywood, CA. 90028 (323) 465-0122. We were, assigned to the bicycle team as B-2.

INVESTIGATION:

On the above date at approximately 1645 hours, my partner (Officer Nam #121) and I (Officer Anderson) received a radio call at 1803 N. Cahuenga Boulevard, "Panda Express", regarding a male Hispanic adult wearing a black jacket, beige shorts and a grey and black hat, drinking inside the business and causing a disturbance.

Upon arrival we met Joseph Gonzalez, an employee of "Panda Express" who stated the suspect was on the south east corner of Yucca Street and Cahuenga Boulevard. We responded to the south east corner of Yucca Street and Cahuenga Boulevard.

Upon arrival we observed a male Hispanic adult that fit the exact description of the suspect from "Panda Express" (Later identified as Flores, Emanuel DOB: 10/30/88) standing next to a male Hispanic adult (Later identified as Jones, Ronald Leslie DOB: 10/02/52) seated on the ground.

I observed Jones holding a black plastic bag containing a partially concealed gold and white aluminum can that was protruding from the top of the bag. Jones handed the bag containing the aluminum can to Flores with his left hand. Flores recovered the black bag containing the aluminum can with his left hand, placed

the can to his lips / mouth, tilted his head back and took a drink. Flores then handed the bag / can back to Jones. Jones recovered the bag / can with his left hand, placed the can to his lips / mouth, tilted his head back and took a drink.

Upon making contact with Jones I noticed the exposed gold and white aluminum can that was protruding from the black plastic bag which Jones was holding in his left hand was a 24 oz. "Colt 45" alcoholic beverage.

ARREST:

We advised Jones and Flores that we were placing them under "Private Person's Arrest", as per 837 Penal Code – (Private Person's Arrest – Authority To Arrest / see attached for) for 41.27 (c) Los Angeles Municipal Code – (Drinking in Public). Jones and Flores were handcuffed (adjusted /double locked for safety and comfort) without incident.

Flores asked why he was being handcuffed. I advised Flores that it is illegal to drink alcohol in public. Flores responded, "I just took a plug of it. That's not illegal." Jones stated he was sorry for drinking in public and thanked my partner and I for our service. When both Flores and Jones spoke an odor of alcohol emanated from their persons.

BID Unit, FB-3, Officers Gordon and Kanagi responded to our location to assist us with transporting Flores and Jones to the BID Office. My partner and I escorted Flores and Jones to the patrol vehicle, placed them in the rear passenger seat and buckled them in.

CITE and RELEASE:

FB-3 transported Flores and Jones to the BID Office were we met LAPD Hollywood Patrol Officer Bostillo # 40670 who confirmed Flores and Jones's identification, via C.L.E.T.S. (California Law Enforcement Telecommunication). Flores and Jones were issued a release from custody citation for the listed charge (RFC# D47397 Jones RFC D43770) by Officer Bostillo and were ordered to appear at the Metropolitan Court House, 1945 South Hill Street, Los Angeles, 90007, on 06/30/2014, at 0830 Hours with the approval of the Watch Commander SGT. Legaspi.

ADDITIONAL:

Flores has no prior contacts or arrests by B.I.D. Officers.

Jones has one prior contact and arrest by B.I.D. Officers.

Jones advised Officers that he purchased the "Colt 45" alcoholic beverage at Playboy Liquor located at 6435 Yucca Boulevard Los Angeles CA 90028.

EVIDENCE:

The "Colt 45" alcoholic beverage was disposed of by Officer Anderson.

PICTURE(S):



INJURY AND MEDICAL TREATMENT:

None reported or observed at the time of contact/arrest.